### BIOGRAPHICAL SKETCHES

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# MEMBERS OF THE HOUSE OF DELEGATES.

## ALLEGANY COUNTY-Five Members.

James Campbell, Republican.

James Campbell, Republican, of the House of Delegates, was born in Scotland in 1842. In 1851 he accompanied his parents to this country and settled in Allegany county. In 1861 Mr. Campbell enlisted in the Union army, where he served three years. After the war he settled at Newburg, West Virginia. He came back to Allegany county shortly afterward and has resided at Barton ever since. Under President Harrison's administration, Mr. Campbell served four years as inspector of coal and wood at Washington, D. C. In 1895 he was elected member of the House of Delegates from Allegany county, and was reelected in 1897.

## John B. Robinette—Republican.

John B. Robinette is a prosperous farmer of near Flintstone, Allegany county, and is a member of the large family of Robinettes so numerous in that section of Maryland. Mr. Robinette is a middle-aged man, a conscientious citizen, and one of the best farmers in his native county. He was elected member of the House of Delegates in 1897.

### CHARLES H. BRANDLER—Republican.

Charles II. Brandler is the son of Judge J. M. N. Brandler, of the Orphans' Court, of Allegany. After completing a business course in Allegany County Academy he attended the Columbus Business College, at Columbus, Ohio, of which institution he is a graduate. He at once returned to Cumberland, entering the coal business with his father. He was elected member of the House of Delegates in 1897.